

EXHIBIT INFORMATION

Long-term exhibits

The Mackay Gallery of Charles M. Russell Art boasts one of the world's finest collections of works by Montana's famed "Cowboy Artist."

Neither Empty Nor Unknown: Montana at the Time of Lewis and Clark allows visitors to experience the Big Sky Country just as it was two hundred years ago.

The Montana Homeland exhibit tells Montana's story from prehistoric times through WWII.

Temporary exhibits

Through March 2007: The Treasure State Treasures exhibit features a diverse sampling of the Society's most significant, unusual, and colorful collections.

March 2006 through April 2007: Photographing Montana: the World of Evelyn Cameron, 1894-1924 showcases intimate images of Eastern Montana's rural life, dramatic badlands, ranch characters and wildlife. (Reflections Gallery)

April 2007 through May 2008: Northern Pacific Railroad exhibit with photographs by Warren McGee and other railroad artifacts.

May 2007 through October 2007: Let Wonderland Tell Its Story (W. H. Jackson Albertypes) featuring early photographs of Yellowstone National Park.

Hours

Montana's Museum

Monday through Saturday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Thursday evenings until 8:00 pm
Closed Sundays and Holidays

Museum Store (no admission fee)

Monday through Saturday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Thursday evenings until 8:00 pm
Closed Sundays and Holidays

Research Center (no admission fee)

Tuesday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Closed Monday, Sunday, and Holiday weekends

Photographic Archives (no admission fee)

Tuesday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Closed Monday, Sunday, and Holiday weekends

Original Governor's Mansion Tours

May through September
Tuesday through Saturday, 12:00 noon - 4:00 pm
Closed Sunday, Monday, and Holidays

October through April

Saturday only, 12:00 noon - 4:00 pm

State Capitol Tours (no admission fee)

May through September
Monday through Saturday, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Sunday, 12:00 noon - 4:00 pm
Closed Holidays

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This Bronze Plaque (29" wide x 14" high) is a scale replica of a monumental bas-relief mural (16' wide x 7' high) commissioned in 2004 for the Senate Chamber in the Montana State Capitol by the Montana Historical Society in cooperation with the Montana State senate and the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commission. Crafted by nationally celebrated sculptor Eugene Daub, it depicts the intrepid explorers at

daybreak as they prepare to re-embark on their upriver journey through Montana's famed Missouri Breaks. Sacajawea stands proudly in the center of the scene while the resolute captains labor nearby; Clark's journal and Lewis' sextant symbolize the Corps' unparalleled feats of exploration as well as its lasting legacy in the fields of botany, zoology, geology, and ethnology. The accompanying medallion (approx. 3") was drawn from the lower border of the mural. The obverse of the medallion features head-and-shoulder portraits of the two captains, while the reverse commemorates the Treasure State's natural history and diverse cultural heritage through its depiction of an American Bison. Both items are being sold—in limited editions—to fund the creation and installation of the monumental mural in the state capitol.

Plaques (29" wide x 14" high) - 75 limited edition numbered bronze replicas, mounted for home or office display come with a certificate of authenticity - \$3,500.00 each

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